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The Rosie velvet mill announces that a weekly bonus of 1 per cent will be paid employees of the plant. This will take the place of the semi-annual bonus given in the past.

Miss Ida Hadley will entertain the Queen Esther circle at her home on High street this (Wednesday) evening. The members are to come prepared to sew patchwork.

The fishing steamer at the Groton Iron Works have been finished and it is expected the yard will close today (Wednesday).

Mrs. Smith Gilderlee is suffering from a badly sprained ankle.

Frank Fanning has returned from a visit in East Hampton.

Miss Lillian Lynton has returned to her patient in New London after spending Sunday as the guest of Mrs. George Cutton on Pearl street.

Mr. and Mrs. Irving Thomas of New London spent Monday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Howard Palmer. They made the trip by automobile.

Lawrence Ashcroft has returned from a trip to Long Island in his power boat.

Daniel MacQuarrie is making repairs to his house on Terrace avenue.

Mrs. Coleman has returned to her home at South View cottage after visiting relatives in South Coventry.

Wilbur Foster has returned to Massachusetts after a short visit in the village.

Miss Annie Ellis has been entertaining Miss Vantine and Miss Beneman of New London.

Morton Tyler has returned to his home in Essex after spending the week-end with Angus MacQuarrie. Mr. Tyler has just returned from two years' service overseas.

Eugene Lester has returned from a visit to his parents in East Hampton. He was accompanied by his sister Ethel who will be the guest of Miss Bernice King.

The King twins are ill.

Nelson Rathbun has a new touring car.

F. E. Barlow and family are preparing for an automobile trip to Maine in a few weeks.

Mrs. Frank Fitch has returned from a visit to relatives in Massachusetts.

SOUTH WINDHAM

Children's Day was observed in the local church Sunday.

Rev. W. M. Brown of Windham occupied the pulpit again last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Peckham and son, Donald, of Tampa, Florida, are being entertained by Mrs. W. C. Card. They expect to spend the summer here and in Norwich, and return home in the fall.

W. B. Hoxie, who has been ill is some better.

Misses Fannie Smith and Callista Backus, with Charles Backus and Harold Adams, motored to New London Sunday afternoon, returning in the evening.

Mr. and Mrs. William Lester of Springfield, Mass., were guests Sunday at the home of their cousin, Mr. and Mrs. Garrett W. Smith.

Perry Crane of Bristol was home over Sunday.

Walter Healey, who cut his foot a few days ago while bathing in the Big Pond is improving, though not yet able to step on the foot. The cut was a very bad one, but the boy used the knowledge gained through the Boy Scouts and the flow of blood was checked. After the foot was bandaged the little fellow fainted.

Mrs. Florence Fitch and daughter of New York are being entertained by the former's sister, Mrs. George Stiles.

The Boy Scouts met Friday evening in Guilford Smith hall. After the regular business the time was taken up in practicing for a minstrel entertainment which they expect to give.

The girls who are canvassing for sustaining members for the Boy Scouts have met with fair success. If the majority of people knew what the Boy Scouts stand for there would be many more subscriptions in the village and elsewhere.

STAFFORD

Mrs. Sarah Black is receiving treatment at the Johnson hospital.

Mrs. Mary Shaw has entirely recovered from her recent illness.

A lawn party with ice cream sale was held by the grange at the home of Mr. and Mrs. George H. Lord.

The son of Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Wagner, Gilbert Augustus, and the son of Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Lavery, William Girden, were christened at the Universalist church, Sunday.

Mrs. Philena Preble observed her ninety-fifth birthday by receiving calls from many friends. While not quite as well as usual this spring she enjoys exceptional health for one of her age.

Mr. and Mrs. John MacGregor have bought the house called the old Universalist parsonage, since the new one was built on the hill. Mr. MacGregor recently became dyer at the Phoenix Woolen mill.

At St. Edward's church recently Miss Pearl Bowden and Sampson Murray were united in marriage. Rev. F. J. O'Neill celebrating mass. The bride was attired in crepe, with pearl trimmings. She wore a pearl necklace, the bridegroom's gift. The bridesmaid was Miss Mary Cunningham, and the best man Richard Murray, a cousin of the groom. The bridesmaid wore pink crepe de chine with hat to match and carried pink roses. The bride's gift to her maid was a pearl necklace and the groom's gift to the best man was a gold scarf pin. A reception was held at the home of the bride. A lunch was served at the Berkshires. Many guests were present, including several from Monson, Rockville, Warren and Worcester.

MANSFIELD DEPOT

Misses Ruth and Ella McCollum of Connecticut College for Women, were at home from Thursday to Tuesday last.

Mrs. J. Stedman and Mrs. Mary Durkee were in Williamantic Thursday.

Mrs. Wallace Porter returned last week after a lengthy visit in Massachusetts, and is entertaining Mrs. Brooks of Boston.

Miss Kelly, of South Coventry was in this village several times last week on business.

Mr. and Mrs. Farrington recently had a visit from Mr. Farrington's sister from New York.

The Misses McCollum entertained last week their college classmate, Miss Helen Browne.

Herbert Bowers has sold his wood-sawing machine to Mr. Korner in Coventry.

F. W. Willard of Merrow visited friends in this village last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Thompson, their children, and Miss Nellie Driscoll, visited Mr. Thompson's sisters in Hampton last Sunday.

Hazel and Sylvia Durkee of Williamantic visited their relatives in this village last Saturday.

At the Sunday School session Sunday, delegates to the annual meeting of the Ashford Baptist Sunday School convention, to be held in Danielson, on Wednesday, June 25th, were appointed as follows: Mr. McCollum, Mrs. F. W. Klein and Mrs. Mary Durkee.

The Missionary department of the Dunham Memorial church is planning to hold an ice cream sale at the bank.

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HANOVER

The graduating exercises of the public school were held at the parish house, Friday evening. The platform was decorated with peony roses and laurel. The class motto, Forward, was worked in white on a field of blue. The whole programme won praise for both teachers and pupils. The diplomas were presented the graduates by William S. Lee, representing the school board. Mr. Dillingham, the state supervisor, and all the members of the school board were present. The programme follows:

Music: The Country Boy's Creed, Sigurd; Florence Abeland; To a Schoolmate Killed in Action, Sanfrid Benson; music, Forward, singing by the school; Hunchback Pottle, Flora MacDonald; piano solo, The Silver Nymph, Dorothy Egli; The Foreigner, Samuel Horowitz; We Are the Garrison, Hortense Vallette; music, Columbia, singing by the school; address, Trade Education, James C. Tucker; The Creed of the Youthful Patriots, Benjamin Shulman; history and prophecy, Elsie Freeman and Dorothy Lee; music, The Land We Love Best, singing by the school; presentation of diplomas; music.

The class of 1919 includes: Sigurd Anderson, Florence Abeland, Sanfrid Benson; Flora MacDonald, Dorothy Egli, Samuel Horowitz, Hortense Vallette, Benjamin Shulman, Elsie Freeman, Dorothy Lee.

The school committee of the town of Sprague is: Frank E. Hull, chairman; Charles Smith, secretary; George Brennan, Charles Charon, William Lee, Herbert Watson, John Flynn, Thomas Kelly, Alison Ladd, Paul Dillingham is superintendent.

At the close of the programme, Elsie Freeman on behalf of the graduating class, presented Mrs. Sturtevant, the principal, a picture as a token of appreciation of all she has done for the class members.

Sunday morning at the close of the service in the Congregational church the children of the Go-to-Church-Band received their pins. Dorothy Lee, Storrs Lee, Elsie Babbitt, Percy Babbitt, Edward Crowder, Doris Crowder and Florence Abeland.

Next Sunday evening the C. E. society will have a special program on June 23rd and at the evening service there

will be a stereoscopic lecture on India at the Parish house.

Mrs. Roger C. Peck and children, Jean and Anna, have arrived from Washington, D.C. to spend the summer with James W. Eadie.

Ralph D. Standish has completed his second year at Brown university and returned to his home here for the summer.

Miss Caroline A. Gallup of Pawtucket, R. I. will spend the summer vacation at the home of her father, Benjamin S. Gallup.

Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Bingham and Mrs. Henry Bingham of Hartford were week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Waldo Bingham and Mrs. and Mrs. G. Park.

Mr. and Mrs. Gus. Bowns of Boston spent Monday at R. B. Marriott's. Alex. Riddell, lately discharged from the U. S. army, has been visiting with friends in town.

Mrs. Sarah Black and Miss Ruth Hawkins were recent guests of some friends in Centerville.

Miss Emma Hawkins of Centerville spent Sunday at her home here.

ABINGTON

Wolf Den Grange entertained Senactet and Killingly Granges Wednesday evening in furnishing the program. Senactet gave a very amusing farce, Graduating Day Exercises at Cobbleville Seminary. Ice cream and cake were served to 150. The degree team went to Plainfield to confer the third and fourth degrees Tuesday evening and was assisted by the quartette.

Friday afternoon the home department of the Sunday school and the cradle roll met with Mrs. Frank Fuller. There are forty-one members of the cradle roll under five years of age.

Sunday was observed by the Congregational church as Children's Day. The following programme was given: Marching in of all children; Tell Me That Sweet Story, choir; Scripture reading and prayer; pastor: recitation, Children's Day, Margaret Jacobson; exercise, Looking Upward, Ruth Amidon; How They Helped, Wayne Hildreth; The Bible Remembers, Priscilla Elliott; song, primary class; recitation, The Flower Mission, Thomas Elliott; song, I belong to the King, junior class; exercise, Flower Voices, by five girls; recitation, Stanley Amidon; exercise, Little Ones Like Me,

Bernice Chase, May Geisler and Amelia Jessup; recitation, Goodwin Jacobson; motion song, Daisies White by intermediate class; recitations, by William Harris and Eva Botham; exercise, Do Your Share, by Karl Whitehouse and James Elliott; recitation, Norman Amidon; collection, by Frances Jessup; Growing Like Jesus, choir; remarks, pastor; song, Congregation; benediction.

Deputy F. K. Haines, Mrs. Haines, Mrs. P. A. Sharpe and V. S. Sharpe visited Meadow Brook grange, North Windham, Friday evening.

Fuell Young was home for the week end.

Nelson Platt visited in New Haven three days last week.

Jay Rich with his family spent the week-end with his mother, Mrs. Arthur Rich.

Mr. and Mrs. Mackintosh have gone to Cleveland, Ohio, to visit their son, John Mackintosh.

All the school children of the town gathered at the school hall Monday afternoon for a rehearsal for the graduating exercises held Tuesday evening. There were twenty-two in the graduating class. The class colors were purple and gold, and the class motto, Go Ahead. The class poem was by Alice Clapp, class prophecy by Blanche Baker, and the history section written by each school. Michael Maher was class president.

Abington Grange school graduates were Karl Geisler, Margaret Hess, Clarissa Griggs, William Harris.

CHAPLIN

An airplane was seen by the townspeople as it passed over the town northward last Thursday afternoon about 4 o'clock.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter E. Clark of Charleston, West Virginia, are guests of Mr. and Mrs. Walter S. Vail.

Mrs. Susan M. Palmer and Miss Myra B. Adams from the Card Home, Williamantic, were visitors this week with Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Gallup.

Children's Day was observed at the church Sunday. A good congregation was present and enjoyed the varied exercises given by the children in a pleasing way. The pastor, Rev. Walter E. Lanphear, delivered a special sermon.

The body of Henry C. Storrs, 65, was brought from Hartford and bur-

ied in the Center cemetery Monday afternoon. Rev. Walter E. Lanphear conducted the committal service. Henry C. Storrs spent his early life in Chaplin and later entered the employ of the Pratt & Whitney Co. in Hartford and filled a responsible position with the company for many years. His widow and two sons who survive reside in Hartford.

EAST KILLINGLY

Miss Ellen Arnold of Putnam called on friends here Thursday.

Mrs. William Yare has been visiting relatives in Hartford for several days.

Mrs. Clarence Soule has been ill.

Misses Gladys Andrews and Mildred Carroll are among those to be graduated from the Killingly High school this week.

A large company of relatives and friends met at the home of Mr. and Mrs. N. Allen Wade Saturday evening to meet their son, George Wade, who recently returned from overseas.

The schools closed Friday for the summer vacation.

A. E. Gordon and family attended the Steere Austin wedding in North Grosvenordale Sunday. Mr. Steere is a nephew of Mr. Gordon.

Bertrand E. Benway and Miss Olive Aldrich visited in North Sterling on Sunday, guests of Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Spooner.

FITCHVILLE

The Fitchville school will close for the summer vacation this (Wednesday) afternoon. The graduating exercises will be held in Palmer hall at Fitchville this evening. Parents and friends of the pupils are to be present at the exercises.

SALEM

J. Milton Clark was a recent caller in Norwich.

The Y. P. S. C. E. meeting Sunday evening was led by the pastor, Rev. Mr. Savage.

Mr. and Mrs. Alvah Morgan of Planders were callers at Robert Bailey's Sunday.

William Darling, Mrs. N. L. Clark, Mrs. G. J. Murray and children and Miss Muriel Archer were Norwich callers Saturday.

James Beebe of Orange was in town

Sunday.

Carl Rogers is serving on the jury at Norwich.

The box social held in Grange hall last Wednesday evening for the benefit of the church was well attended and a good sum was realized.

Mrs. Abbie Herrick is recovering from a severe illness with heart trouble.

Rev. and Mrs. T. A. Williams and daughter of Goshen called on friends in town Sunday. Rev. Mr. Williams was a former pastor here.

Harry Schmuckler recently returned to his home in town after spending 18 months overseas.

George Tibbets of Norwich spent the week end and Sunday with local relatives.

Mrs. S. A. Tibbets and son, Richard Tibbets, were callers in Norwich one day last week.

Norman Coit of Norwich has been

spending several days with C. I. Beebe, Lewis Jones of New London was at his cottage on Salem street Sunday.

Mrs. Mary Darling visited her sister, Mrs. Charles Sweet, in North Lyme Thursday.

Miss Alice Rix spent the week end and Sunday with relatives in Chesterfield and Hanover.

MOOSUP

Dance Ashland Casino, Jewett City, tonight. If rainy come Friday night—adv.

Saybrook.—George Spooner, son of Mr. and Mrs. James Spooner of Saybrook Point, arrived from overseas on Wednesday. He has been connected with the medical corps 18 months and brought a bride from France. They left Monday for New Britain, where they will reside.

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